IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claims 1-5 and 7-26, and add claims 27-28 as follows. Please cancel claim 6 without prejudice or disclaimer.

1.   (Currently Amended) A method, ~~in a communication system for communication of information during establishment of a communication session, the method~~ comprising:

including floor status information of a data communication media in relation to a party of a communication session in a message carrying data communication media information for the communication session; ~~and~~

sending the message from ~~the~~ a communication system to a user equipment~~.~~; and

generating the message in accordance with a session description protocol.

2.   (Currently Amended) A method as claimed in claim 1, wherein the ~~step of~~ including of the floor status information comprises including the floor status information in an offer for the communication session.

3.   (Currently Amended) A method as claimed in claim 2, further comprising:

including an indication that a floor is taken in the offer~~-~~.

4.   (Currently Amended) A method as claimed claim 1, wherein the ~~step of~~ including of the floor status information comprises including the floor status information in an answer to an offer for the communication session.

5.   (Currently Amended) A method as claimed in claim 4, further comprising: including an indication that a floor is granted in the answer.

6.   (Cancelled)

7.   (Currently Amended) A method as claimed in claim 1, further comprising: carrying the message in accordance with a session initiation protocol.

8.   (Currently Amended) A method as claimed in claim 1, further comprising: ~~the step of~~ sending a request for a push-to-talk service session.

9.   (Currently Amended) A method as claimed claim 1, further comprising: sending the message over an internet protocol multimedia subsystem.

10.   (Currently Amended) A method as claimed in claim 1, further comprising: sending the message over a general packet radio service network.

11.   (Currently Amended) A method as claimed in claim 1, further comprising:

providing the communication session by means of using a packet data protocol

context.

12.   (Currently Amended) A method as claimed in claim 1, wherein the step of

sending of the message comprises sending a message from an application server

operatively connected to the communication system.

13.   (Currently Amended) A method as claimed in claim 12, wherein the step

of sending of the message comprises sending a message from a push-to-talk over cellular

server.

14.   (Currently Amended) A computer program product comprising program

code means to execute steps when the program is run on a computer for communication

of information during establishment of a communication session, the steps comprising:A

computer program readable medium encoded with instructions which perform the

following:

including floor status information of a data communication media in relation to a

party of a communication session in a message carrying data communication media

information for the communication session; and

sending the message from the a communication system to a user equipment.; and

generating the message in accordance with a session description protocol.

15.   (Currently Amended) A ~~communication~~ system, ~~to provide communication sessions, the communication system~~ comprising:

a data network ~~for providing~~configured to provide data communication resources; ~~and~~

an application server ~~connected to~~configured to connect to the data communication network, wherein the application server ~~includes~~ is configured to include floor status information of a data communication media in relation to a party of a communication session in a message carrying data communication media information for the communication session and to send the message to a user equipment via the data network.; and

a generator configured to generate the message in accordance with a session description protocol.

16.   (Currently Amended) A ~~communication~~ system as claimed in claim 15, wherein the application server comprises a push-to-talk service application server.

17.   (Currently Amended) A ~~communication~~ system as claimed in claim 15, wherein the message correlates to a session description protocol.

18.   (Currently Amended) A ~~communication~~ system as claimed in claim 15, wherein the communication system carries the message in accordance with a session initiation protocol.

19.   (Currently Amended) A ~~communication~~ system as claimed in claim 15, further comprising:~~the communication system comprising~~

an internet protocol multimedia subsystem.

20.   (Currently Amended) ~~An application server~~An apparatus ~~for provision of data communication sessions, the application server~~, comprising:

~~including means for including~~an including unit configured to include floor status information of a data communication media in relation to a party of a communication session in a message carrying data communication media information for the communication session; ~~and~~

~~sending means for sending~~a sending unit configured to send the message to a user equipment via a data network~~.~~; and

a generator configured to generate the message in accordance with a session description protocol.

21.   (Currently Amended) ~~An application server~~ An apparatus as claimed in claim 20, further comprising:

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a push-to-talk service application server.

22. (Currently Amended) ~~An application server~~ An apparatus as claimed in claim 20, further comprising:

a connecting ~~means for connecting~~ unit configured to connect to an internet protocol multimedia subsystem.

23. (Currently Amended) ~~An application server~~ An apparatus as claimed in claim 20, wherein the ~~application server~~ apparatus includes the floor status information in at least one of an offer for the communication session or an answer to the offer for the communication session.

24. (Currently Amended) A ~~communication~~ system, ~~for communication of information, the communication system~~ comprising:

a node to ~~transmit/receive~~ transmit or receive a message describing a communication session, wherein the message carries data communication media information for the communication session and floor status information of a data communication media in relation to a party of the communication session~~.~~; and

a generator configured to generate the message in accordance with a session description protocol.

25.　(Currently Amended)　A ~~communication~~ system as claimed in claim 24, wherein the message ~~comprises the message correlating~~is correlated to a session description protocol.

26.　(Currently Amended)　A ~~communication~~ system, ~~for communication of information for an establishment of a communication session, the communication system~~ comprising:

including means for including floor status information of a data communication media in relation to a party of a communication session in a message carrying data communication media information for the communication session; ~~and~~

sending means for sending the message from ~~the~~ a communication system to a user equipment~~,~~; and

generating means for generating the message in accordance with a session description protocol.

27.　(New)　A system, comprising:

data network means for providing data communication resources;

application server means for connecting to the data communication network, wherein the application server means includes floor status information of a data communication media in relation to a party of a communication session in a message

carrying data communication media information for the communication session and sends the message to a user equipment via the data network; and

generating means for generating the message in accordance with a session description protocol.

28.   (New) An apparatus, comprising:

including means for including floor status information of a data communication media in relation to a party of a communication session in a message carrying data communication media information for the communication session;

sending means for sending the message to a user equipment via a data network; and

generating means for generating the message in accordance with a session description protocol.